

UNITED STATES DISTRICT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF
Theodore Levin United State
231 W. Lafayette, Roc
Detroit, Michigan 4

Case:1:10-cv-13940
Judge: Ludington, Thomas L
MJ: Whalen, R. Steven
Filed: 10-04-2010 At 11:11 AM
CMP SIMPSON V A AND E TELEVISION NETWORK (EB)

Prisoner Civil Rights Complaint for Cases Brought Under 42 U.S.C. § 1983

Plaintiff's Information			
Name	ROBERT Deshaun Simpson		Inmate Number 380661
Place of Confinement St. Louis Correctional Facility			
Street	City	State	Zip Code
8585 N. Croswell	St. Louis	Michigan	48880

Any additional plaintiffs to this action should be listed on a separate 8 1/2 x 11" sheet of paper and securely attached to the back of this complaint. Please provide names, inmate numbers, and addresses for each plaintiff.

Defendant's Information (This information must be current)		
Name	A&E Television Networks/First 48 Company T.V show	
Street or P.O. Box Number 235 East 45th St.		
City	State	Zip Code
New York	New York	10017

All Defendants are being sued in both their individual (personal) and official capacities.

Any additional defendants to this action should be listed on a separate 8 1/2 x 11" sheet of paper and securely attached to the back of this complaint. Please provide their names, positions, and current addresses.

I. PREVIOUS LAWSUITS

Have you begun any other lawsuits in state or federal court relating to your imprisonment?

YES ☐

NO ☒

If "YES", complete following section; if "NO", proceed to Part II.

Please list all prior civil actions or appeals that you have filed in federal court while you have been incarcerated.¹

1)

<i>Docket Number:</i>
<i>Name of Court:</i>
<i>Parties (Caption or Name of Case):</i>
<i>Disposition:</i>

2)

<i>Docket Number:</i>
<i>Name of Court:</i>
<i>Parties (Caption or Name of Case):</i>
<i>Disposition:</i>

3)

<i>Docket Number:</i>
<i>Name of Court:</i>
<i>Parties (Caption or Name of Case):</i>
<i>Disposition:</i>

Note: Any additional civil actions should be listed on a separate sheet of 8 ½ x 11" paper.

¹This notification is pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g).

II. ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES

1. If you are in the custody of the State of Michigan or one of its subdivisions, did you:

File a grievance with the Step 1 Grievance Coordinator?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Appeal to the Step 2 Grievance Coordinator?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Appeal to the Step 3 Grievance Coordinator?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Seek a rehearing?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

If you did not take one or more of the steps, please explain why:

2. If you are a federal detainee, prisoner, or parolee and if your claim concerns parole, did you appeal to the National Appeals Board of the United States Parole Commission?

YES ☐ NO ☐

If not, explain why:

3. If you are a federal detainee, prisoner, or parolee, and if your claim involves something other than parole, did you:

Attempt to resolve your complaint informally?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
File a formal complaint?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Appeal to the warden?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Appeal to the Regional Director of the Bureau of Prisons?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Appeal to General Counsel for the Bureau of Prisons?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>

If not, explain why:

III. STATEMENT OF FACTS

State here as briefly as possible the facts of your case. Describe how each defendant is involved. Include the names of other people, dates, and places involved in the incident. Do not give any legal arguments or cite any cases or statutes. If you intend to allege a number of related claims, number and set forth each claim on blank 8 1/2 x 11" sheets of paper and attach them to the last page of this complaint.

On July 6, 2006 I Had a Warrant Issued for my Arrest. July 13, 2006 I was Arrested and Taken to the Second Precinct in Detroit. I was Called out By Homicide Officer Mike Russell, I was Charge with 1st Degree Murder I was Taken to a Room where I was Interrogated. I Seen a Camera man in the room I was asked By the Detective. Was I under any Drugs I said yes, Marijuana, and Heroin, He Proceeded with the interview I was Tricked, Coaxed, threatened, and other wise Coerced into Signing a form to Have my Case on T.V. (First 48 T.V show A&E Network) The whole time I Didn't Know what was going on. My life Has Been Put in Danger Since I've Been In Prison, My Grandmother Home are Being Taped without here Consent I've wrote the First 48 Company And Respectfully Ask them to Please Remove my Case from T.V. I never Got a reply Back, which was written on May 20, 2010.

IV. RELIEF

State briefly and exactly what you want the Court to do for you.

I would like the Court to look into this Matter Please. I feel like I was abused. Because I was Under the Influence of Drugs. If Possible I would like the Court to Contact The First 48 T.V Network And Have my Case Be Removed from the air.

I declare under penalty or perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

9-20-10

(Date)

Robert D. Simpson

(Your Signature)

ROBERT Simpson

380661

ST. LOUIS CORRECTIONAL FACILITY

8585 N. Croswell Road

St. Louis, Michigan 48880



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Eastern District of Michigan

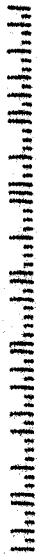
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231 W. Lafayette, Room 564

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CIVIL COVER SHEET FOR PRISONER CASES

Case No. <u>10-13940</u>		Judge: <u>Thomas L. Ludington</u>		Magistrate Judge: <u>R. Steven Whalen</u>	
Name of 1st Listed Plaintiff/Petitioner: ROBERT SIMPSON			Name of 1st Listed Defendant/Respondent: A AND E TELEVISION NETWORK,		
Inmate Number: 380661			Additional Information:		
Plaintiff/Petitioner's Attorney and Address Information:					
Correctional Facility: St. Louis Correctional Facility 8585 N. Croswell Road St. Louis, MI 48880 GRATIOT COUNTY					

BASIS OF JURISDICTION

- ☐ 2 U.S. Government Defendant
☒ 3 Federal Question

ORIGIN

- ☒ 1 Original Proceeding
☐ 5 Transferred from Another District Court
☐ Other:

NATURE OF SUIT

- ☐ 530 Habeas Corpus
☐ 540 Mandamus
☒ 550 Civil Rights
☐ 555 Prison Conditions

FEE STATUS

- ☒ IFP *In Forma Pauperis*
☐ PD Paid

PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 83.11**1. Is this a case that has been previously dismissed?**

- ☐ Yes ☒ No

➤ If yes, give the following information:

Court: _____

Case No: _____

Judge: _____

2. Other than stated above, are there any pending or previously discontinued or dismissed companion cases in this or any other court, including state court? (Companion cases are matters in which it appears substantially similar evidence will be offered or the same or related parties are present and the cases arise out of the same transaction or occurrence.)

- ☐ Yes ☒ No

➤ If yes, give the following information:

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